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TODAY'S MARKETS

Montreal Stock Market.

Ask.	Off.
Canadian Pacific.....	89 1/2
Belmont common.....	11 1/2
Delaware preferred.....	103 1/2
Commercial Cable.....	103 1/2
Gen. Cable common.....	103 1/2
Commercial Reg. Bonds.....	103 1/2
Montreal Telephone.....	103 1/2
Montreal Street Railway.....	103 1/2
Montreal St. Railway, new.....	103 1/2
Toronto Railway.....	103 1/2
Central Gas Company.....	103 1/2
Bel Telephone.....	103 1/2
Royal Electric.....	103 1/2
Bank of Montreal.....	103 1/2
Ontario Bank.....	103 1/2
Molson Bank.....	103 1/2
Bank of Toronto.....	103 1/2
Bank of Nova Scotia.....	103 1/2
Quebec Bank.....	103 1/2
Bank of Commerce.....	103 1/2
Northwest Land, pref.....	103 1/2
Montreal Cotton.....	103 1/2
Canada Cotton.....	103 1/2
Domestic Cotton.....	103 1/2

Toronto Stock Market.

Ask.	Off.
Montreal.....	103 1/2
Ontario.....	103 1/2
Toronto.....	103 1/2
Merchants.....	103 1/2
Commercial.....	103 1/2
Imperial.....	103 1/2
Domestic.....	103 1/2
Standard.....	103 1/2
Hamilton.....	103 1/2
British America.....	103 1/2
Western Assurance.....	103 1/2
Consumers Gas.....	103 1/2
Northwest Land Company, pref.....	103 1/2
Canada Pacific Ry. Stock.....	103 1/2
General Electric.....	103 1/2
London Electric.....	103 1/2
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New York Stocks.

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Yesterday's	Open	High	Low	2 p.m.
Ansco.....	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
Atchafalca.....	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
B. & O.....	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
Brooklyn Trans.....	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
C. & O.....	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
C. & E. W.....	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
C. E. I.....	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
Gen. Elec.....	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
Jersey Central.....	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
K. & N. Y. P.....	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
Manhattan.....	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
Metropolitan.....	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
N. Y. Central.....	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
Norfolk & W.....	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
Norfolk & W.....	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
Ontario & W.....	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
Pennsylvania.....	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
People's Gas.....	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
R. I.....	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
Reading.....	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
S. P.....	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
Southern Ry.....	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
Southern Ry.....	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
St. A.....	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
U. S. Steel.....	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
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English Markets

Liverpool, Aug. 21.—Closing.
Wheat—Spot firm. No. 1 Cal., 6s 3d to 6s 4d; No. 2, 6s 1d to 6s 2d; futures, quiet, Sept., 6s 10d; Dec., 6s 5d.
Corn—Spot, firm. American mixed, new, 4s 6d; do. old, 4s 1d; futures, quiet, Sept., 4s 6d; Oct., 4s 6d; Nov., 4s 6d.
Flour—St. Louis fancy winter, firm, 7s 9d.
Peas—Canadian, 5s 8d.
Beef—Kata India mess, dull, 7s 6d; prime mess, steady, 6s 3d.
Pork—Prime mess fine western, firm, 7s 6d; Lard—American refined, in bulk, firm, 3s 6d; prime western, in tins, firm, 3s 6d.
Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, dull, 4s 6d; Bacon—Canadian, 12 to 14 lbs, steady, 4s 6d; short ribs, 18 to 22 lbs, firm, 4s 6d; long clear middles, light, 30 to 35 lbs, firm, 4s 6d; long clear middles, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs, firm, 4s 6d; short clear backs, 18 to 22 lbs, firm, 4s 6d; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, firm, 4s 6d.
Shoulders—Square, 12 to 14 lbs, steady, 3s 6d.
Tailow—Prime city, steady, 2s 6d; Australian in London, steady, 2s 6d.
Cottonseed oil—Hull refined, Aug., 4s 1d; do. refined, 4s 1d.
Cheese—American finest white, strong, 5s; do. colored, strong, 5s.
Butter—United States, finest, 9s; do. good, 8s.
Hops—At London (Pacific coast), steady, 42 1/2s 6d.
Lined oil—2s 6d.
Turpentine spirits—Steady, 2s 6d.
Cotton seed oil—Hull refined, August, firm, 2s 6d.
Petroleum—Refined, 8s 1d.
Rosin—Common—Steady, 4s 6d.

Toronto Produce Market.

Toronto, Ont., Aug. 22.—Wheat—Old red and white steady, at 60c west, and new at 60c west; goose is still quoted at 62c nominal; Manitoba offered at 88 1/2c for No. 1 hard, grinding, in transit. It is quoted at 88 1/2c, all, at Fort William, 88 1/2c Toronto and west and 88c to 84c Midland. Flour—Steady, at \$3 25, all, at Montreal, that is equal to about \$2 30 Toronto; choice, well-known brands are quoted at 15c to 20c higher; Manitoba flour is unchanged, at \$4 25 for cars of strong bakers, and \$4 50 for patents here, bags included. Millfeed—The market is firmer; there is a big demand for shorts, and prices are about 50c higher, at \$15 to \$18 50 on track. Toronto, Bran is slightly firmer in price, at \$11 50 to \$12 west. Barley—The market is steady; new No. 3 is quoted at 35c and No. 2 at 37c west, for early September shipments. Rye—Unchanged; new is quoted at 48c east and 47c west; no sales, but some inquiry. Corn—Canada yellow is still quoted at 40c west; No. 3 American is steady, at 47c. Oats—Steady; 26 1/2c for old white west,

and 27 1/2c east; new are quoted at 24c to 25c west, or 26c on Midland and east. Oatmeal—Quoted at \$3 10 for cars of bags, and \$3 20 for barrels here; small quantities 20c more. Peas—Steady; new quoted at 57c west and 58c east; 56c west. Butter—First creamery, 21c to 22c; dairy, 17c to 20c; poor grades, 11c to 16c. Eggs—Steady, 12c to 13c.

American Market

NEW YORK, Aug. 22.—Flour—Receipts, 15,000 bbls; sales, 3,100 pkgs; moderately active and unchanged, having a steady undertone; Minnesota patents, \$3 90 to \$4 20; winter straight, \$2 45 to \$2 55; do. patents, \$3 75 to \$4 15. Rye flour—Steady; choice to fancy, \$3 30 to \$3 50. Wheat—Receipts, 57,125 bu; sales, 1,500,000 bu; options quiet but steady this morning on foreign buying, higher cables and strength in the Northwest. Rye—Nominal; state, 51c to 52c; No. 2 western, 56c, f.o.b., all, at Corn—Receipts, 212,000 bu; sales, 15,000 bu; options opened firm on the cables and with wheat, but eased off on rain through the corn states. Oats—Receipts, 153,800 bu; options inactive and barely steady; track, white, 24 1/2c to 25c; do. western, 23 1/2c to 24c. Cheese—Receipts, 5,385 pkgs; market steady; large colored, 10 1/2c. Eggs—Receipts, 8,223 pkgs; firm. Sugar—Raw steady; refined steady. Coffee—Steady. Lead—Quiet. Wool—Dull. Hops—Quiet.

BUFFALO, Aug. 22.—Spring wheat—No. 1 northern, 80c. Winter wheat—No. 2 red, 75c; No. 1 white, 74 1/2c asked. Corn—No. 2 yellow, 44 1/2c; No. 3 yellow, 44 1/2c; No. 2 corn, 44c; No. 3 corn, 43 1/2c to 44c on track. Oats—No. 2 white, 25 1/2c to 26c; No. 3 white, 24 1/2c; No. 4 white, 23 1/2c; No. 2 mixed, 23 1/2c on track.

DETROIT, Aug. 22.—Wheat—No. 1 white, cash, 74 1/2c; No. 2 red, cash, 74 1/2c, 75 1/2c.

TOLEDO, O., Aug. 22.—Wheat—Cash, 75 1/2c; Sept., 76 1/2c; Dec., 78 1/2c. Corn—Sept., 41 1/2c; Dec., 34 1/2c. Oats—Sept., 22 1/2c.

Chicago Exchange.

CHICAGO, Aug. 22.—Following are the fluctuations on the Chicago Board of Trade furnished by F. H. Butler broker, Tecumseh House, Phone 1273.

Wheat—Aug. 22.

Sept. 72 1/2 73 1/2 72 1/2 73 1/2
Oct. 72 1/2 73 1/2 72 1/2 73 1/2
Nov. 72 1/2 73 1/2 72 1/2 73 1/2
Dec. 72 1/2 73 1/2 72 1/2 73 1/2

Corn—Aug. 22.

Sept. 30 1/2 31 1/2 30 1/2 31 1/2
Oct. 30 1/2 31 1/2 30 1/2 31 1/2
Nov. 30 1/2 31 1/2 30 1/2 31 1/2
Dec. 30 1/2 31 1/2 30 1/2 31 1/2

Oats—Aug. 22.

Sept. 21 1/2 22 1/2 21 1/2 22 1/2
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Nov. 21 1/2 22 1/2 21 1/2 22 1/2
Dec. 21 1/2 22 1/2 21 1/2 22 1/2

Pork—Aug. 22.

Sept. 10 1/2 10 1/2 10 1/2 10 1/2
Oct. 10 1/2 10 1/2 10 1/2 10 1/2
Nov. 10 1/2 10 1/2 10 1/2 10 1/2
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Lard—Aug. 22.

Sept. 6 1/2 6 1/2 6 1/2 6 1/2
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Nov. 6 1/2 6 1/2 6 1/2 6 1/2
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Ribs—Aug. 22.

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Oct. 6 1/2 6 1/2 6 1/2 6 1/2
Nov. 6 1/2 6 1/2 6 1/2 6 1/2
Dec. 6 1/2 6 1/2 6 1/2 6 1/2

Live Stock Markets.

CHICAGO, Aug. 22.—Cattle—Receipts, 25,000, including 5,000 Texans and 1,000 westerns, generally 10c lower; butchers' stock, 5c to 10c lower; good to prime steers, \$5 40 to \$6; poor to medium, \$4 60 to \$5 35; stockers and feeders, \$3 25 to \$4 75; cows, \$2 60 to \$4 15; heifers, \$2 40 to \$4 60; calves, \$4 10 to \$5 50; Texas fed steers, \$4 15 to \$5; Texas grassers, \$3 15 to \$4; Texas bulls, \$2 60 to \$3 25. Hogs—Receipts today, 25,000; tomorrow, 20,000; left over, 3,200; light strong, heavy steady, top, \$5 50; mixed and butchers, \$4 85 to \$5 40; good to choice heavy, \$5 to \$5 40; rough heavy, \$4 85 to \$4 90; light, \$5 50; bulk of sales, \$5 15 to \$5 20.

SHEEP—Aug. 22.

Sept. 10 1/2 10 1/2 10 1/2 10 1/2
Oct. 10 1/2 10 1/2 10 1/2 10 1/2
Nov. 10 1/2 10 1/2 10 1/2 10 1/2
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Calves—Aug. 22.

Sept. 10 1/2 10 1/2 10 1/2 10 1/2
Oct. 10 1/2 10 1/2 10 1/2 10 1/2
Nov. 10 1/2 10 1/2 10 1/2 10 1/2
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Latest Probabilities.

Toronto, Aug. 22—10 a.m.—Probabilities for the next 24 hours for the lower lakes region: Light to moderate winds; fine and warm.
Thursday—Easterly winds, fine and warm.

LATE LOCAL ITEMS

—Miss Carrie Parker, city, is visiting Woodstock friends.

—Geo. W. McCaskey, Canadian passenger agent, Northern Pacific Railway, is in the city.

—Mr. Thomas Harris, of Rebecca, has sailed on the Corinthian for a visit to friends and relatives in England.

—Mr. R. T. Wright, whose cheese box factory at Thornedale was burned early Tuesday morning, will rebuild at once.

—This morning's session of the police court was a short one. Two drunks, one of either sex, appeared, and were allowed to go.

—A building permit has been issued for the erection of an addition to Mrs. McNell's store and residence, corner of Simcoe and Maitland streets.

—Col. Macbeth on Monday received a letter from his son, Sergt. George Macbeth, First Canadian Contingent. The letter was written from Springs, dated July 16, and reported all well.

—Miss Evelyn Parker, soprano, soloist of the First Methodist Church, took part in a concert given at St. James' last night. Her singing proved a source of exquisite enjoyment to the large audience present.

—On Saturday next the London Box Office, R. J. Munro, H. F. Harper, Company hold an excursion to Goderich, via G. T. R. The fare has been placed at \$1 15 for the round trip (children half-fare). A special train has been secured, and will leave the G. T. R. depot at 7:30 a.m.

—The Asylum cricket team and the Watford team will play a game on the asylum grounds tomorrow morning, commencing at half past ten o'clock. The local team will comprise Walker, Heighway, O'Donnell, Cox, Meredith, Shipp, Thurling, Dunn, Dr. Williams, Dr. Butler and Mr. Hobbs.

—Construction Engineer McKay, of the L. E. and D. R. R., and Engineer will accept the Conservative nomination for the Liberal party in the Dominion.

—The organization of the party is in perfect condition, and the party will go into the fight with all the old-time enthusiasm and the certainty of recording another sweeping victory for the Liberal party in the Dominion.

—The Liberals of South Simcoe will meet at Orillia on Aug. 30 to nominate a candidate for the commons.

—A general convention of the East York Reform Association to nominate a candidate to contest the riding for the commons will be held in Boston's Hall, East Toronto, on Friday, Sept. 7, at 1:30 p.m.

—Mr. J. E. Campbell, of Hespworth, the Liberal candidate for North Bruce, is laying on active organization work, and with a thorough organization and an enthusiastic band of supporters behind him, is confident he will be able to redeem the riding.

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GLAD NEWS!

The Pekin and Tung Chow Missionaries Safe.

PSALM CXXIV, 7.

Boston, Mass., Aug. 22.—The American board of commissioners for foreign missions, has received today a cablegram from Che Foo, as follows:

"Psalms, one-hundred-four, seven; Pekin and Tung Chow missionaries; also Chapins, Smiths, Wykoffs, saved."

The Pekin missionaries are: Rev. W. S. Ament, Rev. C. E. Ewing, wife and two children; Miss Ada Haven, Miss Nellie Russell, Mrs. J. L. Mater, The Tung Chow missionaries who had taken refuge at Peking: Miss Mary E. Andrews, Miss Jane G. Evans, Miss Abbie G. Chapin, Rev. Chauncey Goodrich, D.D., wife and three children, Jas. H. Ingram, M.D., wife and two children; Miss Luella Miner, Rev. E. W. Tewksbury, wife and two children, Rev. Howard S. and wife. The Pang Chung missionaries, who were at the annual meeting, and took refuge at Peking, are: Rev. Arthur H. Smith, D.D., and wife, the Misses E. Gertrude and H. Grace Wykoff. Lin Ching missionaries under the same conditions are: Rev. F. M. Chapin, wife and two children.

The passage of Scripture alluded to above is: "Our soul is escaped as a bird out of the snare of the fowling; the snare is broken, and we are escaped."

CAPTURE OF PEKIN.

Half the Tartar City was placed under the control of the Japanese, and committees of Japanese, American, British, Russian and French officers were appointed to maintain order. A detachment of Japanese and Chinese Christian converts, who had been imprisoned in the palace. Two hundred Japanese were killed or wounded.

DON'T WANT IT

Women of Victoria, 15,000 in Number. Petition Against the Suffrage Bill.

London, Aug. 22.—The women of Victoria have started a movement against woman suffrage similar, according to the Melbourne correspondent of the Times, to the American anti-suffrage movement. Fifteen thousand women have signed a petition against the woman suffrage bill.

I. O. O. F. GRAND LODGE.

Roche, N. Y., Aug. 22.—The report on the election of officers was the chief item at today's session of the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F., this morning. Dr. August rFench, of Brooklyn, has been elected grand master of the grand lodge; Franklin P. Trautmann, of Brooklyn, is elected grand representative to the Sovereign Grand Council, which meets at Richmond, Va., next month. Grand Secretary John G. Deubert of New York city, is re-elected.

TROUBLE IN COREA.

Yokohama, Aug. 22.—An official dispatch from Corea says that 1,000 rebels have attacked Song Ching and burned the government buildings located there.



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THE PREMIER

Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Party Leave Halifax for Quebec.

Liberal Conventions Announced and Other Political News.

Halifax, Aug. 22.—Premier Laurier and party left in a private car, attached to the Maritime Express, at 5:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon for Quebec. There was a large number of citizens at the depot, and as the train rolled out of the station torpedoes were set off, and the premier was enthusiastically cheered.

SIR MACKENZIE BOWELL.

St. John's, Nfld., Aug. 21.—Sir Mackenzie Bowell, former premier of Canada, arrived here today. He is not prepared to discuss confederation or express an opinion on the union movement in Canada.

CONVENTIONS.

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BASEBALL.